



State of California – The Resources Agency
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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PROJECT TITLE: Water System Maintenance and Improvement

LOCATION: Mendocino Woodlands State Park

COUNTY: Mendocino

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Project will perform maintenance and improve the water storage and distribution system in Mendocino Woodlands State Park to meet current health codes. Work will:

- Excavate to grade an approximately 200 square foot area at Camp 1 and Camp 3 next to the water storage tanks to improve storm water drainage;
- Remove the 4ft by 4ft wide chlorine building at Camp 1;
- Excavate three areas each 14ft long by 14ft wide and 12in deep, place gravel, compact, and install a new 10,000 gallon HDPE water tank at each water storage location;
- Excavate a trench up to 2ft wide by 3.5ft deep and 2.5 miles long, install 4in HDPE waterline the majority within the main road prism to connect the three water storage locations, the new water treatment facility, and the well pump building;
- Excavate 2ft deep by 3 ft wide to install a valve vault on the edge of the road to connect Camp 3 water tanks to the new water distribution system;
- Excavate two areas each approximately 12ft wide by 16ft long by 12in deep, pour concrete foundation with two foot deep perimeter footings to build a new water treatment building next to the Caretaker Quarters at Camp 1 and a new well pump building at Camp 2 tank storage:
 - At the water treatment building install new turbidity meters, settling tank, membrane filtration system, water pumps, chlorination system, and valves;
 - At the well pump house install new well pump, turbidity meters, settling tank, membrane filtration system, water pumps, valves, and chlorination system.;
- Excavate a trench approximately 860ft long by 24in wide and 20in deep and install electrical conduit with wiring and a 4-inch PVC waterline from the kitchen/dining building to the new well house building at Camp 2;
- Clean out debris, replace deteriorated wooden elements with composite decking material, replace and reconfigure valves, repair berms and other parts of nine water collection spring boxes;
- Pressure wash the exterior of the three wooden water storage tanks to remove moss.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Acquisition and Development

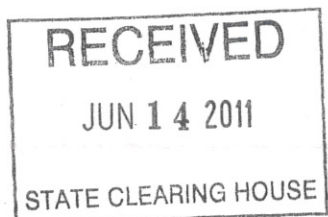
EXEMPT STATUS: ☒ Categorical Exemption Classes: 1, 3, 4, 31 Sections: 15301, 15303, 15304 15331

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of the repair, maintenance and minor alteration of existing public structures and facilities involving negligible expansion of use beyond current levels, the construction or installation of limited numbers of new, small facilities, the minor alteration in the condition of land that does not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees and the rehabilitation in a manner consistent with the Secretary of Interior's Standards or the Treatment of Historic Properties with Guidelines for Preserving, Rehabilitating, Restoring and Reconstructing Historic Buildings (1995), Weeks and Grimmer included in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities in accordance with CCR § 15300.4.

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